GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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MANUFACTURE OF SOLVENT FROM NAPHTHA
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of small and big plants of public sector oil companies manufacturing solvent from naphtha in Gujarat and their production capacity;

(b) whether all such plants are functioning at present; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) to (c) : Indian Oil Corporation Limited (IOCL) in their Koyali Refinery in Gujarat are producing a limited quantity of Solvent through internal stream from crude processing to meet the requirements of certain major tyre manufacturers.